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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of: Woodward, et. al.

Serial No: 08/876,937

Filed: June 16, 1997

For: NON-ACIDIC CYCLOPENT

HEPTANOIC ACID, 2-CYCLOALKYL OR ARYLALKYL DERIVATIVES AS THERAPEUTIC

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Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks

Washington, D.C. 20231

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Examiner: Peter O'Sullivan

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extension of the response period, or any additional fees required under 37 CFR 1.16, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 01-0885. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed for that purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

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